

Where faith, family, and academics thrive!

Dear Parent/Guardian.

February 4, 2015

A very special thank you to our Catholic Schools Week Committee: Ms. Montemurro, Mrs. Ewen, Mrs. Donnelly, Mrs. Castle, Ms. Busscher, and Ms. Roegge. They planned a fun-filled week of activities and projects that showed our commitment to faith, family, and academics within St. Hilary walls and beyond. What a wonderful week to celebrate all that is good and special about St. Hilary and Catholic education.

Thank you to our visitors who spoke to the children about vocations and the importance of giving service to God and to others. Our visitors were: Fr. Aloy, Fr. Tom, Fr. Dan, Deacon Don, Dr. Peg, and Sr. Belinda.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as the decision to close school this past Monday was made. This is never an easy decision to make. The safety of our children and faculty are my first priority in making this decision. I make every attempt to notify families and faculty as quickly as possible. I may need to add make-up days to our calendar, you will be notified if and when the calendar is altered.

Registration for the 2015-2016 school year has begun. You have received a copy of your child's registration form generated from PowerSchool and the necessary registration papers. Please review the form, make any necessary corrections, complete the tuition payment preference form, and return these forms to school with the \$100.00 registration fee. The registration fee will increase to \$200.00 for any registration after March 6, 2015. Thank you to the many families who have already completed their registration, we are ahead of our numbers from last year. Spaces may soon be limited so please be proactive and register early.

Don't forget to tell a friend about St. Hilary and as a thank you, you will receive a \$100.00 tuition credit on your December tuition statement pending enrollment of the referred family. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

Mark your calendars and tell your friends – the Alumni Association will host their Annual Quiz Night on Saturday, February 21st. This is a fun 21+ evening! It would be wonderful if you created a team with some of the parents in your child's class. The faculty has a table each year – which grade can beat the faculty? See the flyer in today's envelope for more information.

Dates to Remember:

- Tues. Feb. $10^{th} 8^{th}$ grade Graduation retakes
- Wed. Feb. 11th Family & School Association meeting 7:00 p.m. in the cafe
- Fri. Feb. 13th bring a \$1.00 donation to LLS and come to school out of uniform dressed in Valentine's Day colors.
- Fri. Feb. 13th Family & School Association hosts the Family Sweetheart Dance (see flyer in today's envelope for more information and volunteer opportunities)
- Mon. Feb. 16th No school, Presidents' Day
- Sat. Feb. 21st The Alumni Association hosts their Annual Quiz Night

Emergency Closing/Cold Weather

Cold weather: Students will be kept in for indoor recess when the temperature is below 25 degrees (actually or with wind chill) or in wet rainy/snowy conditions. Please make sure your child comes prepared to go outdoors – gloves, scarf, hat or hood. This is especially true of those who are on patrol.

Emergency Closing Information

Our SchoolReach system will notify you either by phone or email in the event of our school closing due to weather. In addition, emergency closing information will be announced on WBBM Radio Newsradio 780 and WGN Radio 720. The television stations to watch are CBS Channel 2 Chicago, Channel 5, ABC Channel 7 Chicago, WGN Morning News, Fox 32 and CLTV News. On-line you may access information at www.EmergencyClosings.com. Our website www.sthilarychicago.org will also have closing information. We will close if the Archdiocese closes and if CPS closes – extremely rare events. You should choose, based on your own judgment and situation, whether or not to keep your child (ren) home.

Please check out the Peek at the Week for a look at the week ahead.

Gratefully,

Mrs. Kathie Donovan

Mrs. Kathie Donovan, Principal

A Peek at the Week

Week of February 9 - 13

St. Hilary where faith, family, and academics thrive!

MONDAY: February 9th

Altar Servers: S. Habert, B. Ho

- ✓ Religious Education classes
- ✓ Yearbook Meeting in Room 206 3:00 4:00 p.m
- ✓ Cadet band 7:00 7:50 a.m. in Room 109
- ✓ Concert band 3:00 4:00 p.m. in Room 109

TUESDAY: February 10th

Altar Servers: R. Yamat, G. Atto

- ✓ Student Council meeting- Officers and representatives
- ✓ Battle of the Books Room $204\ 3:30-4:30$
- ✓ 8th grade Graduation picture retakes

WEDNESDAY: February 11th

Altar Servers: K. Dinh, C. Keta, J. Grahf

- ✓ 8:30 all school liturgy lector Molly Isaacson
- ✓ Family & School Association Meeting 7:00 p.m. in cafeteria
- ✓ Cadet Band 3:00 4:00 p.m. in Room 109

THURSDAY: February 12th

Altar Servers: N. Kalensky, N. Kefle

- ✓ Concert band 7:00 7:50 a.m. in Room 109
- ✓ Choir 3:00 4:00 p.m. in Room 109

FRIDAY: February 13th

Altar Servers: C. Nono, M. McNabb

- ✓ FSA Family Sweetheart Dance 7:00 9:30 p.m. in the Vacala Auditorium
- ✓ Bring a minimum \$1.00 donation for LLS and wear Valentine's Day colors

SATURDAY: February 14th *Happy Valentine's Day*

Altar Servers: 8:30 a.m. L. Nguyen, G. Atto

5:00 p.m. D. Echeverria, D. Flatsoussis, T. Gallegos

SUNDAY: February 15th

Altar Servers: 8:00 a.m. S. Joseph, S. & M. Oquendo

10:00 a.m. K. & G. Gianonni, A. Montesinos

12:00 Noon K., D., and K. Dinh

Sunday, Feb. 15th 10:00 a.m. Family Mass Monday, February 16th No School – President's Day

Don't forget to register your child for the 2015-2016 school year!!

"Refer a Friend" and receive \$100 credit on your December tuition!







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Recycling Update – February Competition

As we strive towards our \$50,000 goal, families, students and friends can participate in another recycle rally!

February Competition

Save your clean plastic #1 & aluminum pop cans. The school is competing against the parish © If the school wins, the top 3 classrooms will receive ice cream sundaes. If the parish wins, all members receive bragging rights.

*Turn in items with your child(ren)the last week of February for the school to earn points.

*Turn in items with a marked label "parish" to the church vestibule during the month of February for the parish to earn points.

ALL BAGS MUST HAVE THE QUANTITY OF ITEMS MARKED ON IT

Contact Maestra Busscher via email to help with sorting. busscher@sthilarychicago.org

All activities completed will count as service hours.





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Recycling Update – Metal Recycle Bin

To alleviate the hassle of delivering our recyclable items, a large recycle bin was placed by the garage in the northeast corner of parking lot.

DO NOT PUT ANYTHING INSIDE OF IT! DO NOT PUT ANYTHING INSIDE OF IT! DO NOT PUT ANYTHING INSIDE OF IT!

It is to be used for weighed items only.

Send items with your child(ren) to school or the blue receptacles by the bike rack/preschool door. This request is till the end of the school year.

Thank you for your cooperation.

The St. Hilary Family & School Association cordially invites your family to our

Sweetheart DANCE

Friday, February 13, 2015 7 to 9:30 p.m. School Gym

\$6 for adults • \$3 for children • children under 3 free

- Pizza and refreshments will be provided
- Bring your cameras for our DIY photo booth (we'll provide the props)
 - Please RSVP so we know how much food to order
 - Advance payment is recommended, but families can pay at the door
 - ▼ This is a family event—no drop-offs

Please cut and return this form with your payment by **Wednesday**, **Feb. 11**, to let us know that you are coming. This will help us make it a great evening. Thank you!

Yes! My family is planning to attend the Sweetheart Dance.

	Family name:			
A total of	family members will be there. (Number of Adults	Children	n Under 3 _)

Volunteers needed for the Sweetheart Dance

The FSA is hosting the family Sweetheart Dance on Friday, Feb. 13., in the school gym. We are looking for volunteers to help make this a fun event! Please consider lending a hand while you enjoy the festivities.

Available times and opportunities

Set up	3 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Greeters	7 - 8 p.m.; 8 - 9 p.m.
Servers	7 - 8 p.m.; 8 - 9 p.m.
Clean up	9:30 - 10:30 p.m.

How to volunteer

- Contact Maria at 773-620-0642 (call or text) or <u>mariahench@gmail.com</u>
- Signup via SignUp Genius at http://goo.gl/yAFXrK

Please bring your service hour cards so you receive credit for volunteering.

FUNDRAISING EVENT



Date: Tuesday, February 17, 2015

Time: 11:00 am - 10:00 pm

Location: Lou Malnati's: Lincolnwood

6649 N. Lincoln Avenue

847.673.0800

Dine-in, Carryout and Delivery (within zone)

FOR QUESTIONS:

Please contact Kristen Allen - kristenileene24@yahoo.com
Lou Malnati's will donate 20% of total sales to St. Hilary School (20% based on pre-tax
purchase, excluding alcohol) from every order received - Dine-in, Carryout OR Delivery (within zone)
- WITH THIS FLYER on 02.17.15. FLYER MUST BE PRINTED OR SHOWN ON MOBILE DEVICE.

Cannot be combined with any other promotional offers including but not limited to: discounts, Deep Dish Dough rewards redemption or Malnati Mail welcome coupon.

PLEASE MENTION FUNDRAISER EVENT WHEN PLACING ORDER.

OFFER VALID ONLY AT THE DATE AND LOCATIONS LISTED ABOVE.



Saturday, February 21, 2015

St. Hilary School Vacala Auditorium 5615 North California Avenue Chicago, Illinois

WIN MONEY**TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE**HAVE FUN

Doors open at 6:30 PM

Trivia questions begin promptly at 7:00 PM

\$20 PER PERSON or \$200 PER TABLE (Tables of 10)
Register with a table or join a team that night
Bring in your own food and drink
Alcohol permitted
21 + age event

All money raised goes to St. Hilary School!

10 Categories	Winning Table \$500
10 Questions per Category	Best Theme Table \$100

A Community Event Hosted by St. I	Hilary Alumni Association
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Registration Form on the back of this flier

Quiz Night Registration

CONTACT PERSON FOR TEAM:		
NAME		
ADDRESS		
CITY/STATE/ZIP		
PHONE		
TEAM MEMBERS IF KNOWN:		
1.	6.	
2.	7.	
3.	8.	
4.	9.	
5.	10.	
I AM COMING AS A SINGLE PERSO	N, PLEASE ADD ME TO A TEAM:	
NAME		
ADDRESS		
CITY/STATE/ZIP		
PHONE		
AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$		

Please return to the School or Rectory office Attention: Alumni Association Quiz Night

MAKE CHECK/S PAYABLE TO ST. HILARY SCHOOL



Need a Valentine's Day gift idea for the one you LOVE? Make it easy and buy a gift card from SCP!

You can now use your rebate towards reducing your tuition, your book fee, purchase gym uniforms, after school care, or add to your lunch card and as always you can buy more certificates, or donate your rebate to the school which would be used towards the school technology program

Remember, no order is too BIG or too small. It all goes to benefit our children.

- ❖ USE THEM TO SHOP INSTEAD OF CASH. CHECK OR CREDIT.
- ❖ ST. HILARY RECEIVES A COMMISSION ON EACH CERTIFICATE SOLD.
- ❖ WE WILL SPLIT THAT COMMISSION "50-50" ON YOUR TOTAL PURCHASE FOR EACH QUARTER. IT CAN BE USED TOWARDS TUITION, BUY MORE CERTIFICATES OR DONATE IT TO THE SCHOOL.
- ❖ "FACTS" PARTICIPANTS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR ALL THE BENEFITS OF THE SCP PROGRAM.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON SCP* Email KATHY ERNST @ ernst@sthilarychicago.org

CERTIFICATES USUALLY ON HAND:

CERTIFICATE ORDERS RECEIVED BY FRIDAY WILL BE AVAILABLE ON TUESDAY OF THE FOLLOWING WEEK:

RESTAURANTS:		RETAIL:	
		Bath & Body Works (6.5% rebate)	\$10
Burger King (2% rebate)	\$10	Best Buy (1.5% rebate)	\$25
Chili's (5.5% rebate)	\$25	Carson Pirie Scott (4.5% rebate)	\$25
Chipotle (5.5% rebate)	\$10	Claire's (4.5% rebate)	\$10
Dunkin Donuts (1.5% rebate)	\$10	Dick's Sporting Goods (3% rebate)	\$25
I Hop (4%rebate)	\$25	Gordon Food Service (1.5% rebate)	\$25
Kentucky Fried Chicken (4.5% rebate)	\$5	Home Depot (2% rebate)	\$25
Lettuce Entertain You Restaurants (6.5% rebate)	\$25	Jewel-Osco (2% rebate)	\$25
Lou Malnatis (3.5% rebate)	\$25	Jewel-Osco (2% rebate)	\$100
Panera Bread (4.5% rebate)	\$10	Lowe's Home (2% rebate)	\$25
Olive Garden/Red Lobster (4.5% rebate)	\$25	Marianos (2% rebate)	\$25
Panera Bread (4.5% rebate)	\$10	Marshall's/T J Maxx(3.5% rebate)	\$25
Pizza Hut (4% rebate)	\$10	Muller Meats (3% rebate)	\$20
Starbucks Coffee (3.5% rebate)	\$10	Old Navy,Gap,Banana Republic (2% rebate)	\$25
Subway (1.5% rebate)	\$10	Ross (5% rebate)	\$25
Wendy's (2% rebate)	\$10	Toy-R-Us (1.5% rebate)	\$20
		Walgreens (3% rebate)	\$25
SPECIALTY:		Wal-mart (1.25% rebate)	\$25
AMC-Cineplex-Sony-Lowes Theaters (4% rebate)	\$25		
AMC-Cineplex-Sony-Lowes Theaters (4.5% rebate)	\$9		
Fannie May (12% rebate)	\$20		
Tunes (1.5% rebate)	\$25		
Mobil/Exxon (0.50% rebate)	\$50		
Shell Debit Card (1% rebate)	\$25		
Shell Debit Card (1% rebate)	\$100	ST. HILARY GIFT CERTIFICATE	
U.S. Postage Stamps 20 @ .49¢ (0% rebate)	8.8	CHOOSE THE AMOUNT \$	
CERTIFICATE ORDERS (FROM BOTTOM SECTION)	RECEIVED BY FRIDAY W	ILL BE AVAILABLE ON TUESDAY OF THE FOLLOWING WEEK:	
RESTAURANTS:	\$10	RETAIL:	
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Boston Market (6.5% rebate)	\$10	Bed, Bath & Beyond (3% rebate)	\$25
Buffalo Wild Wings (3.5% rebate)	\$25	Build A Bear (4% rebate)	\$25
Eduardo's Pizza (4% rebate)	\$10	Crate & Barrel (3% rebate)	\$25
Houlihan's (4% rebate)	\$25	CVS Pharmacy (2% rebate)	\$25
Mrs. Fields Cookies (9% rebate)	\$10	Eddie Bauer (4.5% rebate)	\$25
Outback Steakhouse (4% rebate)	\$25	Express (5.0% rebate)	\$25
Red Robin (4.5% rebate)	\$25	Foot Locker (4% rebate)	\$25
		Hair Cuttery (4% rebate)	\$10
SPECIALTY:		J C Penneys (2% rebate)	\$25
		Land's End (7% rebate)	\$25
Barnes & Noble (4% rebate)	\$10	Lane Bryant (4% rebate)	\$25
B P Gas (.50% rebate)	\$50	Mario Tricoci (4% rebate)	\$25
Chuck E. Cheese (4% rebate)	\$20	Menard's (1.5% rebate)	\$25
Honey Baked Ham (4.5% rebate)	\$25	Office Depot (2% rebate)	\$25
Hyatt Hotels (4% rebate)	\$25	Office Max (2.5% rebate)	\$25
Oberweis (4.5% rebate)	\$10	Payless Shoes (6.5% rebate)	\$10
Timber Ridge Lodge (4.5% rebate)	\$25	Pier 1 Imports (4.5% rebate)	\$20
	,	Pottery Barn/Wm. Sonoma (4% rebate)	\$25
		Shutterfly (4.5% rebate)	\$25
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*PLEASE NOTE: St. Hilary School & its Board cannot be held responsible for any l	loss that may occur in	DOOM #	
transit.		ROOM #	
Any Questions, Call Kathy Ernst (773) 989-9249.			

SKOKIE INDIANS LITTLE LEAGUE 2015

Visit WWW.SKOKIEINDIANS.ORG for info on Winter Clinics, Evaluation Dates and Travel Team Information.

Springtime means Baseball and Softball!



All children ages 5 through 14 are invited to make new friends, learn how to play ball, and most of all HAVE FUN!

Sign your kid(s) up for Skokie Indians Little League! The league runs April through June 27, allowing time for summer vacation!

Registration Info:

Visit website to register for Spring '2015 leagues

December 15,2014 —February 28,2015 regular price.

March 1,2015—March 15,2015 A \$35.00 late fee will be applied to the original price during this time.

If you are attempting to register after March 15,2015 you must contact Chris Voeller for Baseball and Kim McKinney for Softball before submitting your registration. Chris or Kim will determine if any roster spots are available after March 15, 2015. A \$50.00 late fee will be applied to the original price during this time.

REGISTRATION IS CLOSED AFTER MARCH 15, 2015. SO PLEASE REGISTER EARLY! AVOID THE LATE FEES AND REGISTER ON TIME!

Practice's will be determined by the Coach.

Rookies will play games on Monday's and Wednesday's. A/AA will play games on Tuesday's and Thursday's. AAA will play games Monday through Saturday. Major's will play games Monday through Saturday. Pony's will play games Monday through Saturday.

Softball will play games Monday through Saturday.





2015 Registration Fees

\$110—Rookie League T-Ball (ages 5—6)

110-A/AA League (ages 7–8)

\$165-AAA League (ages 9-10)

\$175—Major League (ages 11—12)

\$185—Pony League (ages 13—14)

\$112—Girls Softball (grades 1—2)

\$112—Girls Softball (grades 3—4)

\$112—Girls Softball (grades 5—6)

\$112—Girls Softball (grades 7—8)

A child's "League Age/Grade" is their current grade as of August 31,2015.

Scholarships and Payment plans are available please visit website for additional payment information.

Discounts available when registering 3 or more siblings.

All new players need to submit a copy of their birth certificate when registering.

A player's registration is NOT complete until payment has been received. Your child will not be assigned a team until the cost of registration has been paid to the Skokie Indians Little League. Method of payment we accept are: checks or our secure online payment through PayPal.

WWW.SKOKIEINDIANS.ORG

Baseball questions can be directed to Chris Voeller - baseball@skokieindians.org Softball questions can be directed to Kim McKinney - softball@skokieindians.org

Calling all 1st - 4th grade girls and boys!

advantures in science

at Resurrection College Prep

7500 West Talcott Chicago IL 60631

February 20, 2015 6 pm - 8 pm

Sponsored by the Resurrection Science National Honor Society

Moms and Dads,

Explore a night out while your child explores a night in, with the Science National Honor Society members of Resurrection College Prep.

Your child will experience a fun scavenger hunt of our 7 labs as well as participate in hands-on experiments that will inspire and amaze your 1st-4th graders. Space is limited so sign up soon to be part of the fun!

Cost: \$5 per child, payable at check-in

Contact Nancy O'Leary at <u>noleary@reshs.org</u> or 773-775-6616 Ext 129 for more information.